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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of)
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Yamazaki et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/841,537)
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Filed: April 24, 2001)
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For: Semiconductor Device And Method)
Of Fabricating Thereof)
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Art Unit: 2822)
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Examiner: M. Guerrero)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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ELECTION AND AMENDMENT A

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of October 15, 2002, Applicants elect to prosecute
Group I: Claims 1-35 in the above-identified application. Applicants are making this election and
canceling the non-elected claims without prejudice to later filing a divisional application on the non-
elected claims.